Understanding that further development and availability of the BPL technologies would greatly benefit the everyday consumer, certain steps must be taken to unsure the development of other technologies is not hindered. Relaxing the rules that govern BPL technologies would greatly affect the development of other communication abillities. Considering that many communication advances haved stemmed from the "ammature" (using this term

loosely) experimentor/developer, it would be dammaging to the future of the communication industry to interfere further with the already tightly restricted Amature bands. As a Communication/Electronics Maintenance Chief for the United States Marines I get to see first hand the effects of radiation currently emmitting from power lines. To further increase these emmisions would effect more than just the future of our Comm. technology.

Thank you for your time,

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